

**IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED STATES
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF NORTH CAROLINA
CHARLOTTE DIVISION**

CRIMINAL CASE NO. 3:00cr221

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,)

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vs.

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ARTIS LA MONTE CLAY.)

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ORDER

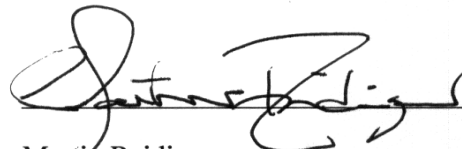
THIS MATTER is before the Court on a letter received from Warden Tracy W. Johns, Federal Correctional Institution, Butner, North Carolina.


The Warden advises that the Defendant was admitted to that facility for the purpose of a psychological and/or psychiatric evaluation on December 22, 2009. He requests that the evaluation period of thirty days be deemed to commence as of that date and also asks that the period be extended through February 4, 2010. The Court finds the extension is reasonable under the circumstances. 18 U.S.C. §4247(b) (“The director of the facility may apply for a reasonable extension, but not to exceed fifteen days[.]”).

IT IS, THEREFORE, ORDERED that the Warden's letter which is construed as an application for a fifteen day extension is hereby **GRANTED.**

The Clerk of Court is requested to attach the letter from Warden Johns to this Order.

Signed: January 7, 2010


Martin Reidinger
United States District Judge



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